

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: B.W. Ritchie et al. Attorney Docket No.: UGRF127764  
Application No.: 10/598427 Art Unit: 1612 / Confirmation No.: 4759  
Filed: August 29, 2006 Examiner: Zohreh A. Fay  
Title: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR OPHTHALMIC TREATMENT OF  
FUNGAL AND BACTERIAL INFECTIONS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Seattle, Washington 98101  
February 18, 2010

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

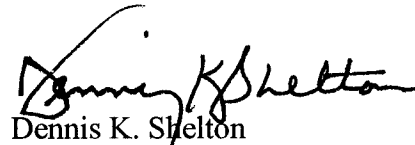
Applicants respectfully request that the shortened statutory period for response to the outstanding Office Action dated August 19, 2009, set to expire on November 19, 2009, be extended by 3 months, to expire on February 19, 2010.

Applicants paid a one-month extension fee of \$65 on December 18, 2009, and hereby submit payment of the remaining extension fee for small entity of \$490. In response to the final Office Action, a continuation application is being filed concurrently herewith (our Docket No. UGRF-1-34460).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1740.

Respectfully submitted,

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